

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 10/801,854  
Applicant : MICHAEL G. ZAIS, ET AL.  
Filed : MARCH 17, 2004  
Title : REVERSE FLANGE COLLAR ADAPTER AND REVERSE  
FLANGE COLLAR  
Confirmation No. : 1972  
Art Unit : 3781  
Examiner : HARRY A. GROSSO

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for **one (1) month**. The fee set in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for the extension of time is **\$120.00**.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication, including fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 10-0233-XERX-0113-UT1**.

Respectfully submitted,

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